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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM, WITH COMPONENT KITS, FOR DESIGNING OR
DEPLOYING A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK WHICH CONSIDERS
FREQUENCY DEPENDENT EFFECTS

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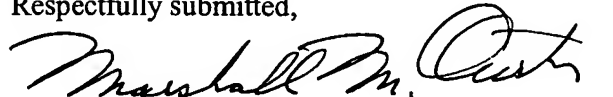
Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.97 through 1.99 and pursuant to applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, applicant respectfully brings the following documents, listed on the attached form PTO-1449, to the attention of the Examiner in charge of the above-identified application. Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.98(d) copies of the references are not required. Copies of the references can be found in the parent case (U.S. Patent Application Serial Number 09/469,102 filed 12/21/99).

This citation does not constitute an admission that the references are relevant or material to the claims. They are only cited as constituting related art of which the applicant is aware.

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It is respectfully requested that the listed references be considered by the Examiner and formally made of record in this application.

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